

WOOD SUGGESTS GIVING HAWAII'S BUILDING AWAY

Plan is to Have Exposition Authorities Maintain It as An Aquarium

Wireless information received today by Wade Warren Thayer, secretary of the Territory, from H. P. Wood, commissioner at the exposition, states that the Hawaii building if left standing must be either sold or given to the exposition authorities, as these men are planning to purchase the land on which the building is situated. His message says:

"Exposition authorities are planning to buy the land occupied by the Hawaii building, precluding all other purchasers. If not sold to the exposition the building must be torn down and removed at once. It may be possible to get a small amount of money from the wreckers. The large Massachusetts building has just sold, bringing \$250. I believe we should lose no time in making the transfer to the exposition. The gift would be heartily appreciated by San Francisco."

That the Hawaii building at the Panama-Pacific exposition be turned over to the exposition management free is a suggestion made in the form of a wireless message received yesterday by Mr. Thayer from Mr. Wood, which follows:

"If Hawaii will donate its exposition building to the exposition, the same will be maintained as a public aquarium. I would recommend that the building and all of its contents excepting relief maps, paintings, moving picture outfit, and furniture be given. It will mean a splendid advertisement for Hawaii."

To Mr. Wood's message Secretary Thayer replied, also by wireless, stating that certain legal points stand in the way of making the gift, but requesting that action be deferred if possible till spring.

"The legality of such a donation of the building is uncertain," explained Secretary Thayer in his message. "Endorsement to defer action until spring when I can go to California. In the meantime please canvass thoroughly for possible buyers. Ascertain if the exposition would lease the building at a nominal rental until the next legislature convenes, when a donation may be arranged."

This nominal rental, as the secretary explains, may be a dollar or a postage stamp, but it must be something. By the act which created the fair commission, the members of that body are instructed that proceeds from any sales must go to the territory and the territory also owns the building if not sold. Until this act is changed the secretary can do nothing but hang on to the building or sell it. He cannot give it away.

BERNDT EXPECTS TOURIST TOTAL TO BE 15,000

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on the coast to take care of traffic, and with efforts expended by Hawaii many of those visiting the Pacific slope will be induced to come here. I say without hesitation that the 1916 tourist crop will be more than 15,000. In general, also, it will be a higher class of travelers, many people having refrained from coming this year because of the crowded conditions on the coast developed by the fair.

"Most of the people will remain for 30 days after arriving here," Berndt continues, "instead of going back when the steamer returns to the coast. All first-class reservations for January and February have been sold. During the Carnival period, when the Great Northern will remain over a week, the company has offered to throw open the boat for hotel services if necessity arises. This will not be done, however, unless the demand calls for it."

Mr. Berndt says that Hawaii's problem now is to furnish greater hotel accommodations for all time to reap the benefits of the tourist trade that is now resulting from much advertising.

"Each agent in the many offices of the Great Northern Company has been instructed to boost Hawaii," he says, "and it is hard to say how far-reaching the results of this free advertising will be."

KAHUKU SLICES \$30,000 MELON

An extra dividend of 60 cents per share, totaling \$30,000 on the 50,000 shares outstanding, was declared this morning by directors of the Kahuku Plantation Company, payable on November 30. The company is capitalized at \$1,000,000, with stock at \$20 per share par. Last sale on change was at \$16, with offerings today at \$17 per share.

The market on change continues quiet, with price variations covering only a small range—mere fractions in most instances.

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... they tear their hair and sometimes go crazy. They beg and cry for the drug—for just one more 'sniff of the snow.' They have got to have it, and its effect is far more damnable than that of opium or liquor."

Thus spoke "Jim" Haley, collector of internal revenue, today, in describing the unbreakable hold taken by cocaine on men and women who are habitual users of the drug, which drug, the revenue officers have evidence tending to show, is being sold in enormously large quantities to persons in Honolulu, both civilians and soldiers.

Allegations made to the revenue office and which are now under investigation, says Mr. Haley, are that the users of the drug are taking it into local Hawaiian and Asiatic homes, where it is "fed" to young girls who finally become the victims of debaucheries.

"A young Hawaiian girl was picked up in the street recently," declared the collector, "and it was found that she had become addicted to the use of cocaine. She said that a man had given it to her. She was asked why she had gone with this man."

"He has got good medicine that makes us feel fine," she answered.

"And," concluded Mr. Haley, "it is a quick step from the first sniff of the drug until the final debauchery."

Lid Lifted Last Night.

The lever of federal authority gave the lid to the alleged cocaine "ring" a further pry last night when Marshal J. J. Smiddy, accompanied by Ralph Johnstone of the revenue office and other revenue officials, took into custody Charles E. Bradley, who has been operating a popcorn stand in King street near Alakea, and Louis Belliveau, husband of "Princess Theresa" Belliveau, who are now in Oahu prison pending an investigation by the federal authorities. While an actual arrest has been made an investigation whether these men are connected with the alleged "cocaine ring," either by importing the drug, selling it or assisting in sales.

"This, however, is only a scratching of the surface," said Collector Haley. "This office, as well as other federal officials, are determined to fight to the last ditch and work day and night in an effort to wipe out this ring. If there be one. We want to prevent these promiscuous sales. We want

PACIFIC COAST IS GETTING WAVE OF PROSPERITY

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nia, Mrs. Anderson and Dr. J. B. Frankenhimer.

"Financial conditions are picking up, not only in the East, but on the Pacific coast as well," Mr. Frankenhimer said. "The national banks of San Francisco, at the last call of the controller, showed deposits \$40,000,000 in excess of the best previous records. There is a state of unprecedented activity going on in the East. The steel corporations cannot begin to fill their orders."

"Along the line of war orders," added the noted banker, "Australia and New Zealand are now getting their supplies of paper from Pacific coast firms, where they used to buy it from Germany. I am vice-president of the Crown-Williamette up & Paper Company, and we are now receiving orders for paper from New Zealand and Aus-

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the residents of Honolulu to realize that the effects of cocaine are far more damaging than those of liquor or opium.

Traffic is enormous. "The enormity of the traffic going on in Honolulu today is almost unbelievable. The persons who are selling cocaine are dealing in the very souls and bodies of the victims of the drug," he added.

Collector Haley went on to say that indications that the drug being peddled is brought here from the mainland shows how the local physicians and druggists are cooperating with the officials in stamping out the cocaine traffic.

When information concerning Belliveau and Bradley was received by the marshal late yesterday afternoon, he informed Collector Haley, who issued two search warrants. Belliveau's actions were watched, says the marshal, and he was followed about town for a considerable period of time. It is alleged that he assisted in a sale last night whereby a third party received \$5 worth of cocaine.

Belliveau and Bradley were taken into custody at the latter's popcorn stand. The marshal says that four large bottles of cocaine were taken from one of Bradley's pockets. Bradley and Belliveau were sent over to Oahu prison and lodged there for the night. A search was then made of Bradley's room, where two bottles of morphine were found, says the marshal, as well as scales and paraphernalia for disposing of the dope.

Search Doctor's Office.

Following an interview with Bradley at the jail, the officers searched the rooms of one Dr. B. M. Howard at 534 Hotel street, where they "took evidence of his connection with the cocaine ring," as the marshal put it today. This evidence was documentary, the marshal added.

Belliveau was taken to the marshal's office this morning where he was interviewed by Mr. Smiddy and Mr. Johnstone. None of the details of the conference were made public. "Princess Theresa" Belliveau was present, and it was reported that she put her husband through an unusually heavy "third degree." She was visibly peeved when she visited the marshal's office today to "learn all about the affair."

According to Marshal Smiddy, Bradley late today made a practical confession of his association with the traffic, and was committed to Oahu prison to await action by the federal grand jury. Belliveau was released on bond in the sum of \$250. His case also will be investigated by the grand jury.

trails, which we never get before the war started."

The San Francisco financier, in stating that this is his first trip here, said he has always been attracted toward the islands, and that he and his wife decided to make the trip and see the territory's scenic grandeur for themselves. The party is staying at the Moana. They leave for Kilauea Thursday.

Mr. Frankenhimer owns stock in half a dozen corporations, and is also a director in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company. "From the way things look now with good weather, our attendance should pass the 16,000,000 mark easily before the big fair closes December 4," he said.

Concerning the seamen's act, the noted San Franciscan said businessmen and ship owners are confident it will either be amended or repealed at the coming session of Congress.

The government-owned slaughterhouse in Tientsin, constructed by the German government early in the history of the colony, is being conducted by the Japanese forces in occupation of the port in the same careful way that has always characterized its operation. The plant consists of spacious buildings for the separate slaughtering of cattle and smaller animals, an ice-making and cold storage plants, laboratories, detention sheds, residences for the staff, etc.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LAST EDITION PLAN TO REPEAT WINDOW CONTEST CARNIVAL WEEK

Honolulu's first window display contest held last Saturday has proved so satisfactory and such a boost for the city that several merchants have now asked that it be repeated at Mid-Pacific Carnival time.

"Three or four merchants, and not those who won the prizes, are so pleased with the results of the contest from an advertising standpoint," says Raymond C. Brown, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and the man who introduced and carried through the plan, "that they are asking if we cannot find some arrangement whereby it can be made a part of the program of the Carnival."

"I am willing," says Brown, "I'll do what I can to see it go through, providing the merchants want it. One thing, however, that I should insist upon is that it be made one of the special features, and that afternoon or morning of Carnival week be set aside for it."

Merchants to whom the matter was broached today say that they believe the contest could well be repeated during Honolulu's play week; when so many visitors have gathered in the city from the mainland.

One merchant suggested that it might be a little soon after the other display to repeat the same dose, but added, "If the others are willing we'll be in as lively as the rest of them."

One of the prominent local cigar dealers suggests that there be a larger number of prizes, and more variety to points covered by the windows, but adds, "Prizes weren't the whole thing. We didn't get any prize, but we got a lot of good advertising and did a big business just because of the display."

Many of the merchants are leaving their window decorations temporarily as they were on Saturday, and many persons down town, especially passengers from the Sonoma, which arrived this morning, still pay considerable attention to the decorations. Several businessmen declare that the contest is still proving a big drawing card.

ARMED BURGLAR GRABS GUN FROM OWNER OF HOUSE

Walking fearlessly up to K. Segawa while the latter held a loaded rifle pointed at him, a burglar who is believed to be Yee Yo Keuk, the notorious Korean desperado, this morning took Segawa's rifle and escaped from the house with several dollars taken from Segawa's boy. Segawa is a contractor and lives at Weaver and Berea streets.

Walking up this morning at 2:30 when his alarm clock rang, Segawa's boy saw a man standing at the foot of his bed with two revolvers in his hands. The man ordered the lad to be quiet, and forced him to open the bureau drawers while he searched them. Finding no money, the robber went into the room of Segawa and from the lad's trousers, which were lying on the foot of Segawa's bed, took \$3.

Segawa crept from bed when the bandit's back was turned and picking up a .22 caliber rifle pointed it at him and commanded him to stop. Instead of obeying, the burglar pointed both revolvers at Segawa and walking calmly to him took his rifle away, carried it to the next room, and then backed through the door and escaped.

Policemen Poaha and Slemore responded to a phone call from Segawa but found no trace of the bandit. The description of the man given by Segawa is identical with that of the Korean bandit, Yee Yo Keuk, and the police are certain it was he who entered the house.

DANISH FARMS JUMP IN VALUE

COPENHAGEN, Denmark.—Danish farm property has increased in value as a result of the European war until farms are now being sold almost daily at a price 50 per cent higher than what they would have brought nine to 12 months ago. The appreciation of farm property is due, of course, to the unprecedented profits on agricultural products.

In the matter of horses, the scarcity is so serious that the government during the past six months has prohibited the exportation of them and the farmers have been getting on in many instances with the small but vigorous Icelandic horses, when they have been able to get them.

ANTI-TYPHOID VACCINE PROVES USEFULNESS IN TRENCHES IN FRANCE

PARIS.—Dr. Leon Bernard reports that out of 800 cases of typhoid fever that he studied among French soldiers the mortality of those that had been treated with the anti-typhoid vaccine was only 5 1/2 per cent, while it was 17 per cent among the unvaccinated. Among those that survived the difference in the gravity of the

THINKS CITY'S DIMMING LAW IS MENACE TO LIFE

J. C. Searle, W. C. Critz, C. Mel, H. L. Kerr and M. C. McNamara were among those who paid fines this morning for failing to have proper lights or dimmers on their automobiles, and while trying the cases both Judge Monarrat and Attorney Chillingworth intimated that they did not think the dimmer ordinance anything extraordinary in the legislation line.

"I shall have to ask the court to fine all the men in these cases," said the assistant city attorney, "because the ordinance does not leave any room for discretion. It says they must have such and such kinds of dimmers, and even in a case where a man offends by accident it does not leave any grounds for an acquittal."

One of the cases which brought up discussion was that of a Ford auto owner whose lights were too bright. The owner said that when his car went fast the lights were bright, because the magneto was then working rapidly, but when he went slowly he had hardly any light.

"I don't know just what to do," the auto driver said. "If I put heavy dimmers on I can't see when I am going slowly, and if I don't put heavy ones on I get arrested when I am going fast."

"It looks like Ford owners are going to have a hard time with this ordinance," Chillingworth remarked. "But the court has to render its decision in accordance with the ordinance."

"I don't think this ordinance was made for the smaller machines, but for the big ones, with powerful lights. Nevertheless, I have to fine any one arrested under this ordinance as the supervisors made it," Judge Monarrat said in fixing the penalty at \$5 in the cases.

Chillingworth said he considered the dimmer ordinance as it stands a menace to human life, especially as the supervisors have all lights in town put out on "moonlight nights," whether the moon is out or just supposed to be out.

OLYMPICS WILL SEND BASEBALL TEAM TO HAWAII

The far-famed Olympic Club of San Francisco baseball team will be the baseball attraction during the Mid-Pacific Carnival celebration next February. This matter was definitely settled yesterday upon receipt of mail from Arthur H. Muhl of the Olympic Club to the baseball committee of the Carnival.

In his communication, Muhl thanks the baseball committee for the invitation to play here and Baseball Commissioner Bart B. Burke of the Olympic Club has been instructed to take immediate action as to organizing the team and having them in excellent shape when the time comes to line up against the local teams.

Muhl further stated that he was not in a position to give the exact lineup of his team, but said that he expected to have such well known semi-professional players as Artie Benham, Eddie McMillan, "Flash" Kennedy, "Dutch" Schammel and Frank Harrington in the lineup.

Bart Burke, one of the best catchers on the mainland at the present time, and a much sought after player by the major leagues, will captain the team. The Olympics are due to arrive here February 14, and will play their opening game February 17. The baseball committee as yet has not arranged a schedule for the team, but it is expected they will play at least 10 games here during a period of three weeks.

cases between the vaccinated and unvaccinated was as of 19 to 29.

In all the cases studied by Dr. Bernard the vaccinations were what is called "simple;" he thinks that with "triple vaccine" the death rate would have been much smaller.

PRETTY GIRL ANNEXES MINISTER'S POCKETBOOK

DENVER, Colo.—When a well dressed young woman, with a pretty face, sweet voice and engaging address accosted the Rev. S. S. Reed of St. Paul, Minn., on Fifteenth street last night and congratulated him on a sermon he had delivered last Sunday, the minister was touched.

He thanked her and walked on, wondering who she was. He still is wondering—and so are the police. For the minister's pocketbook, containing \$80 and a round trip railroad ticket from St. Paul to the San Francisco and San Diego expositions, went with the pretty one when she parted from him.

SEATTLE, Wash.—Walter Allenby of Seattle, first mate of the tramp freight steamer Wakana of Portland, and August Krantz, a quartermaster, were asphyxiated in their staterooms while the boat was proceeding from Tacoma to Seattle. They occupied rooms directly over the exhaust pipe from the engine room, and were overcome by carbon dioxide gas given off by the exhaust. Krantz joined the crew at Portland.

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Every boy will be given a flag and a horn as the start is made from the Star-Bulletin office about 8:30 Thursday morning. The boys have been instructed to assemble in front of the business office on Alakea street, at 8 o'clock. There they will be provided with the flags and the noisemakers, and no one except stone-deaf persons will fail to realize that it is a newsboys' picnic when the march begins.

From the office the boys will march to the Oahu Railway station, where a three-car special train will be waiting for them. All the youngsters who have bathing suits are asked to bring them along, because a swim will be one of the day's features. Football and baseball will also be enjoyed, and it will be an all-day outing.

EVERYBODY ON BIG ISLAND IS BACKING GUARD

Everybody on Hawaii is backing the National Guard and helping in its organization, General Samuel L. Johnson said this morning on his return from the Big Island where he has just sworn in six new companies. The Hawaii regiment is now larger than is necessary, the only difficulty being in getting equipment rapidly enough.

Rifles have been received at the armory and will be sent on the next boat to supply the companies on Hawaii which have no guns. During his stay on the Big Island General Johnson made rapid time and did a great deal of work. Sunday he began drilling companies of the guard at 6:30 in the morning at Hilo, and from there went by automobile to other points where companies have been formed, traveling 200 miles and visiting five companies during the day. He found all the companies ready for inspection.

The Board of Trade at Hilo has become interested in the guard and gave General Johnson every encouragement in his work.

NATIONAL GUARD NOTES

Officers of the National Guard of Hawaii who returned on the Wilhelmina today are: Capt. George B. Schrader, Capt. Gustave E. Schaefer, Lieut. Perry Smoot, Lieut. J. L. K. Cushingham and Lieut. Frank Stevenson. All of the officers except Capt. Schader are members of the rifle team, and all of them are of the 1st Infantry.

Lieut. George Desha, 2nd Infantry, and Sergt. T. J. K. Evans, 1st Infantry, will sail from San Francisco, December 1, they having obtained additional leave in order to spend more time on the mainland. Sergt. W. E. Miles, 1st Infantry, will arrive here November 30 on the Manoa.

Sergt. Albert K. Lucas, Company A, 1st Infantry, has accepted a position with a commission house in New York, and will remain in the East for some time.

Thanksgiving delicatessen sale at St. Andrew's Cathedral parish house at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.—Adv.

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Six robbers boarded the T. K. K. steamer Kiyo Maru when she was anchored off Valparaiso, Chile, according to First Officer Kunimoto of the ship, due to sail at noon tomorrow from this port for the Orient.

The men climbed over the rail at 1:30 in the morning, reaching the steamer in small boats from the shore two miles away. A watchman on duty gave the alarm and the Kiyo's sailors succeeded in repelling the attack, although each robber was armed with a rifle and revolver. The Kiyo sailed October 4 from Valparaiso.



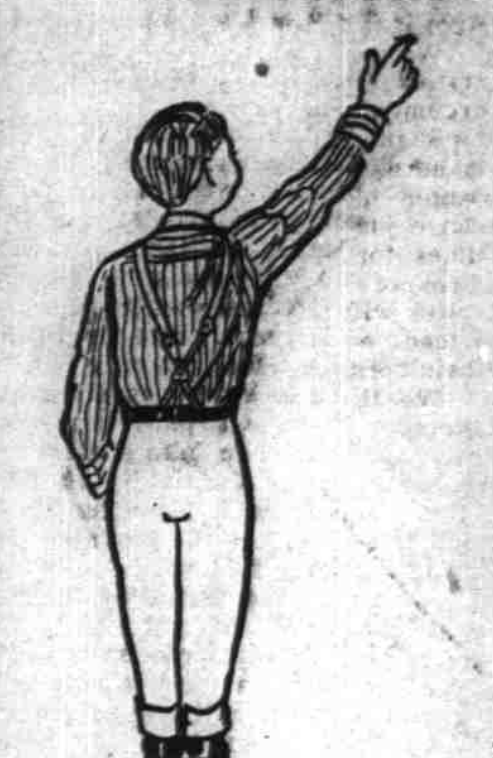
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